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TOWER SYSTEMS MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR (BASED IN IRANAWILA)

The US Mission in Colombo is seeking candidates for Tower Systems Maintenance Supervisor position for the International Broadcasting Bureau (IBB) Transmitting Station at Iranawila, Chilaw.

As the Tower Systems Maintenance Supervisor, you will be responsible for maintaining nineteen antenna towers, and associated short-wave antenna arrays, transmission lines, and switch bay equipment. You will supervise five Tower Maintenance Technicians and one Lead Climber Technician. Do you have a good knowledge of English? (English will be tested.) Do you have a working knowledge of how to maintain steel structures in a highly corrosive environment? Are you familiar with rigging pulley and safety harness systems? Do you have the ability to work at heights up to 500 feet without trepidation? If the answers are 'Yes', and you also possess the qualifications below, then you may be the person we're looking for.

Please send us your detailed CV along with a cover page containing the following questions and your answers:

1. Position Title, 2. First, Middle, and Last Names as well as any other names used, 3. Current Address; Day, Evening, and Cell phone numbers, 4. E-mail address, 5. National Identity Card Number, 6. Do you have any relatives or members of your household who work for the U.S. Government (Y/N; If 'Y', state Name, Relationship, Position, Location), 7. Are you between ages 18 and 60? (Y/N), 8. Have you completed G.C.E. (O/L)? (Y/N; if 'Y', state Results), 9. Do you have five years experience with rigging systems/load control/tower maintenance or construction of high rise structures? (Y/N; if 'Y', state employer, position title, years /months of employment in each position, and summary of duties), 10. Do you have two years supervisory level experience? (Y/N; if 'Y', state number of crew members directly supervised) 11. Do you have a valid class "B" – cars and dual purpose vehicles (former class "C, C1") driving license? 12. State your current monthly take-home salary.

Applications without the cover page may not be considered for this position.

If your answer is 'No' to questions 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, your application will not be considered.

The monthly take-home salary for this position will be Rs. 56,158.

Your application should reach us on or before April 15, 2012, by post at P.O. Box 106, Colombo, or by e-mail at Colombohr@state.gov. Please state "Tower Systems Maintenance Supervisor" on the top left-hand corner of the envelope or in the subject line of your e-mail. Please note, only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

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